GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA

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PAYMENT TO CONTRACT LABOURERS WORKERS
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any legal provisions for direct payment of salaries to contract labourers/workers after deduction of commission due to the contractors;

(b) if not, whether the Government proposes to make relevant legal changes in this regard;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the deduction for contribution towards Provident Fund, medical facilities and insurance benefits are made from the salary of contract labourers/workers;

(e) if so, whether any acknowledgement is given to the said labourers/workers for availing these facilities; and

(f) if not, the action taken against the contractors failing to provide such acknowledgement?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE(INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): No, Sir.

(c): Does not arise.

(d): Yes, Sir.

(e): The Employees Provident Fund (EPF) Statements and Employees State Insurance (ESI) Cards are issued to the workers.

(f): Does not arise.